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**AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 15, 2003, please amend this  
application as follows: